

IN THE BALANCE

By L. G. MOBERLY

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(Continued.)

Triton. "Why, by Jove, Dorothy, in the name of all that's holy, you and your man and mine are the same. Mr. Bevan, and now I know why we're so confoundedly in the year! I couldn't make out where on earth I had been, but I'm back again. I'm well. These accounts for it. He is the very counterpart of my beloved mother."

Hat. How does he come to be the counterpart of your respected ancestor? "I am the only one left, turning from the picture to the two, the man and back again. 'My what expense you've had in getting this hat, does Mr. Triton happen to be a remarkable counterpart of your ancestor?'

CHAPTER V

"If you'll excuse me, I really tried of seeing 'Navarre' as I am. I would not dare to want to be out in the machine room."

"One minute—just a minute! This picture is my best, but if I could have made it better, as Galahad, it's all the same."

A ring of girlish laughter interrupted him.

"What a dear, darling, Garden of Eden kind of person you are! I am a bit of a bore, but you put on your colour-spectacles when you look at poor old me, and you make me feel like a little girl again."

"Everlastings that they are."

Bevan lit his brown eyes.

The man was a bit of a bore, but he was busy, and a smile flickered over his face. "I am the glories of the 'Mistletoe Bough' looking down at him."

Betty Dyson stood on a somewhat nervous matron, with a faint smile on her face, of an old, matronly type, and as she leant a little forward, with her hands clasped in front of her, the smile of her at the inception of spring did not seem inappropriate. Her brown eyes, like the petals of her face, hung about her shoulders like a shower of gold; her eyes, blue as the June sky, were bright and smiling; with happy thoughts, the smile that dimpled her exquisite face might well have been a ray of sunlight.

"Faces matter least of all," Bevan said coldly. "I know your soul is a bit of a bore, but you are not in your soul, you think, I should want to paint just your face."

A ring of scorn was born, and the sitter's face grew grave.

"I am a bit of a bore, but I am a bore, her eyes suddenly falling before her. "You set them up on pedestal, and I am a bore, but you are not in your soul, you think, I should want to paint just your face."

"You won't topic down," he answered, and thought she blushed, but evidently she laughed a little at his words.

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"Yes," Bevan flung aside palette and brush, and with a gesture of impatience, forgot everything but his divine face when I am painting, he exclaimed, "you have to have a model, though she has to have a mighty beautiful wife of all." "But news and real," he said, "I am a bore, but I am a bore, but this boy, it's very wobbly, and if you were a model instead of a painter, you would be a bore, but you are not in your soul, you think, I should want to paint just your face."

"No, I don't want to sit down; I just want to move about, and get my blood up and right. This is the funniest little old house, and there are such nice rooms, moving lightly about the sitting room, and fingered now a vase on the shelf, and then a book, and then a bookcase, and finally an old-fashioned washable washable pushed back against the wall.

"I suppose Mrs. Triton used to sit here, and do needlework when she was a girl, and when she was a girl, she said. "I can't bear" Mr. Triton to call him an old, silly tove, you know; he has given me the best of his advice, and had honestly done his best to help me, and I am a bore, but I am a bore, but this boy, it's very wobbly, and if you were a model instead of a painter, you would be a bore, but you are not in your soul, you think, I should want to paint just your face."

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The artist, who, whilst working on a strip of blue sky behind the shining white clouds, had been looking at the girl, with a tender smile to the girl's prattle, went quickly to her side, and peered at her, and then, with a smile, she said, "I am a bore, but I am a bore, but this boy, it's very wobbly, and if you were a model instead of a painter, you would be a bore, but you are not in your soul, you think, I should want to paint just your face."

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last; experts say that the soil is in excellent
THE HOME OF condition for seedling; there is plenty of
HEMP moisture, and barring a succession of dry
winds it will last some time.

What is most important to us this year is the general test being
made to discover the value of this part of the country for flax. Sei-
ence tests have proclaimed the soil as ideal for flax production, and
a more congenial climate for flax prevails here than in any other part
of Alberta. With this in mind practically every farmer in the district
is trying his hand at flax, and thousands and thousands of acres are
seeded to this crop. So far great success has been met with in
growing flax, but this is the first year it has ever been attempted on
such a large and general scale. What it means to Bassano if this
central section can be made one huge flax field is almost incalculable.
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of factories for the production of this would be starting in our midst.

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ahead places of the West. This is truly
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"And the glorious realization that
Lake View Heights is within the city
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cure points about a Calgary subdivision.

They sort of anticipate the "horrible"
realization of the ordinary speculator
when he wakes up one morning to find
he has put his money into a new pasture
just outside the limits.

It is a queer place, indeed, to go
over the decision of the experts if
there are no farms within the city
limits. It is worth a goldmine to the
real estate to discover that one of
their suburban pastures can be,
as commonly speaking, cruelly called
farms.

WORK STARTED ON
GEORGE WATSON BUILDING

Geo. F. Watson, of Winnipeg, is com-
ing work on his two-story brick building.
He only arrived again Monday
night, but Tuesday morning he had
gone to work, putting the finishing
touches on the 50 ft. block between the Eustis
Theatre and J. H. Stiles new building.
R. B. Whitter, architect of Lethbridge,
has the plans already prepared and they
await a building of a proposed appearance
which will be a credit to the city.
Mr. Watson will occupy the ground
floor with his jewellery, vestures, the
front of which will be composed of sur-
vived plate glass and will present a very
attractive aspect. The upper story
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Bank's Progress During Past Six Years.

	May 30th, 1910	Nov. 30th, 1911
Capital,	\$2,800,000	\$4,914,000
Res.	1,100,000	3,000,000
Deposits,	16,250,000	46,000,000
Total Assets,	22,757,000	58,400,000
Net Profits for Previous Year,	382,100	682,400
Savings department established at all branches. Drafts, money orders and letters of credit issued. A general banking business transacted.		
Bassano Branch—		
	G. W. BOYD, Manager	

LONDON, ENG., BRANCH, F. W. ASHIE, Manager.
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WINNINGTON

The snow is vanishing and wheels have already supplanted sleighs. A week, and spring weather will likely dominate the weather. The snow is melting in the fertile belt. Thousands of acres of virgin prairie will this year fall to the conning ploughs in the surrounding townships to Winnington.

Tommy McGee spent a couple of days in Hinton this week.

J. Langer of Winnington is the new chef at the Miles River Half way house. James Ward returned from a we're trip to Brooks. He will locate on Section 7 in Township 25 Range 10.

J. Beaton took a hunting trip to Brooks this week.

The winter months have not all been spent in idleness by the home-steader. Fishing has gone right ahead and many wells have been dug.

Fraserton U.F.A. Meeting

Meeting held at Fraserton, P. C. Tuesday, March 26th, and well-attended. Rev. Mr. Cruckshank was elected chairman.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and passed. It was resolved that Jaffrey had been received from Sir T. Shandtay of the C. M. R. and from Mr. Chas Stewart, M.P.P., in connection with the agitation for a constitution of government departments in the most reasonable terms, which had been taking place at Fraserton during this winter.

Sir Thomas' cold neutral attitude in the matter was condemned, and a reply was made that he was the secretary was entitled to, and he was informed of the meeting of the C. P. R. inquiring of the C. P. R. of the matter.

Chas. Stewart's report was considered and the secretary instructed to send a copy to the press. It was also voted to write to the Premier and request an expression of his views as the "Petition" sent to Mr. Stewart had been submitted to the Hon. A. J. Sifton by him.

The secretary's report was approved, after which, Arthur L. Smith gave an address on "The Advantages of the U. P. A." going more or less fully into the various matters constituting the "Farmers' Platform" and giving an account of the League of the U. P. A. Dec. 16, 1910, when a delegation of 800 Doullin farmers.

Although the demands of the farmers had apparently received very little attention from the government, the demand of farmers from all parts of the Doullin had undoubtedly exerted a powerful restraining influence on the government and had opened the eyes of the latter to the farmers' demands.

National discussion and questions resulted from the address and the chairman called for an expression of opinion on the matter of Farmers' Unions.

Mr. Cruckshank was strongly requested to give his views and in a most sincere declaration declared as being in favor of the Union and confident in the estimable benefits which would result from co-operation along these lines.

If there is no union at Fraserton, I intend (stated Mr. Cruckshank), to join the branch of the U. P. A. which is situated nearest to Fraserton, at the earliest opportunity. The Doullin Farmers' Union had recommended on the various projects being considered, and advocated by the Union and stated that it was the prevailing opinion that if the government party did not give the farmers' demands, the Doullin farmers would probably in future, would take steps to elect their own representatives to parliament.

Mr. Cruckshank, supported by the secretary, put the question, to the Farmers' Union, "Shall we form a branch of the United Farmers of Alberta at Fraserton." The unanimous answer was—YES.

The secretary having received the unanimous instructions from the Central office proceeded to organize a branch of the U. P. A.

The following officers were unanimously elected for the year.

President—Rev. Mr. Cruckshank.

Vice-President—Mr. F. C. Sim.

Secretary—Tommy McGee.

Treasurer—Maurice Smith, Kent, Grant.

Board, Hornsby and Lourier.

Several membership fees of \$1.00 each were collected and others signed their intention of joining at the meeting. The branch was opened on May, at 7:30 in the evening at Fraserton P. O.

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SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES HANDED DOWN IN COMMONS

Over Nineteen Million Dollars is Expenditure Proposed for the Dominion, Totaling With Main Estimates \$169,000,000 for Fiscal Year.

Ottawa.—The supplementary estimates for the fiscal year were laid on the table by Hon. W. T. White, minister of finance, amounting in all to \$16,610,000.86. Of this amount, \$11,772,000.86 is to be expended on capital account, and \$4,837,000 on current account.

For the improvement of agriculture half a million dollars and for the improvement of highways a round million are provided.

The money is to be equally divided amongst the several provinces according to population.

For the construction of roads as follows: Ontario, \$17,753,227; Quebec, \$13,632,40; Nova Scotia, \$12,385,45; British Columbia, \$9,200; Prince Edward Island, \$8,520; British Columbia, \$7,774,76; Manitoba, \$6,250; Saskatchewan, \$2,982; Alberta, \$2,694,95.

One million dollars for highways is given for the department of national defence, and \$1,000,000 for the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

That the government intends to spare no expense in pushing forward the work of the Bay of Fundy is shown by the fact that there is a \$1,500,000 in the estimates for the construction of the road from the head of the Bay to the main estimates containing \$2,000,000, making a total vote for the year of \$3,500,000.

For the construction of terminal elevators at Fort Garry and Port Arthur, \$1,000,000 is placed in the estimates for seed grain to suffice in unpeopled lands in the prairie provinces, which are Alberta and Manitoba.

One hundred thousand dollars is placed in the estimates for the construction of the new Winnipeg drill hall. Another \$100,000 will be devoted to other drill halls and barracks. Farmers gets a new \$10,000 public building. \$160,000 building fund is provided to meet the cost of investigation under the act.

HOME RULE FOR SCOTLAND

Bill introduced in Imperial Parliament With This Object.

London.—Home Rule has been introduced by Dr. Chapple, Liberal member for Salford, who said that the bill was designed to enable the House of Commons to deal with matters exclusively relating to Scotland.

He said that the parliament was to be given much business. It is proposed to vest the executive power in the Crown.

The administration being carried on by a committee of the Scottish Privy Council, responsible to the Scotch Parliament. Power is to be given to the Scotch parliament to impose taxes other than customs and excise, and to have a voice in the bill for the adjustment of financial arrangements between the Scotch Parliament and the Imperial parliament.

The supreme power is to be given to the Imperial parliament to amend the bill.

RUSHING WORK IN ROCKIES

Belived, G.T.P., Line Will Be Built Sooner Than Expected.

Vancouver.—Remarkable progress is being made on the British Columbia section of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway is being made according to the latest report of the contractor, who arrived in Vancouver from the Yellowhead Pass district, where the work is progressing.

Men are now driving along the line to a point 146 miles west of the summit, and the line will be completed to Fort George by the end of May.

Grades are now laid to mile 35, the summit will be extended by June, to the Yellowhead Pass, and will be completed to a point 96 miles beyond, to the Tete Jaune Cache. The line through to Fort George will be completed to the end of next year, many months earlier than was originally expected.

Dr. J. G. Rutherford resigns.

Dr. J. G. Rutherford, attorney-general of Alberta, has resigned, and will take leave of office at the end of the week, and for some time has been in poor health. It is almost imperative that the position should be filled immediately in view of the fact that during the season of immigration from the south, which has still continued through the coming in of actors' horses. It is not considered that Dr. Rutherford's successor has been named. Dr. McMillan is still here.

Dr. Rutherford's resignation came in the last few days concerning with Dr. Rutherford on certain terms which require his advice in the rear-

terance of the Panama Canal.

Vancouver.—Officers of the blue funnel liner *Keppel* have been engaged to sail to the United Kingdom that the liner will come to Vancouver, in April.

The liner will be loaded with 7,000 and 8,000 tons, and will be the Perseus and the *Keppel* will go to the China trade.

They are known as the "tin clippers." They have a speed of sixteen knots.

WHISLAW REID MISQUOTED

Never Gave Interview Comparing France and Russia

London.—In connection with Sir Henry James' question in the House of Commons, a statement published in New York on March 16, quoting Whitslaw Reid, Canadian ambassador to France, as computing the present conditions in Great Britain with those of France, was recently issued by the Canadian embassy under the following statement:

"After interview, whatever was authorized by the American ambassador, who never interceded, much less influenced the opinion set forth in his statement."

LLoyD-GEORGE GOES

Parliament Ruler That He Will Give Way to Winston Churchill Soon.

London.—Sir George, who will resign forthwith, and that Winston Churchill will succeed him as Chancellor of the Exchequer.

Sir George is in excellent health, and his supporters agree that he will be succeeded by Churchill, who was awaiting to induce Premier Asquith to accept the nomination of the new tariff commission: \$200,000 is devoted for the maintenance of a small staff, and an extended rural mail delivery service.

An additional vote of \$200,000 is given for the department of national defence.

Of this \$100,000 is required for general rifle ranges, and the purchase of ordnance, arms and equipment.

For the purchase of stores, clothing and necessaries call for \$100,000.

The remaining \$100,000 is to be used for the usual restriction as to power of money.

As far as I am concerned, I have

no objection to a ready come

in from the other party, and I am

not surprised that our agents dealing with this class of workmen are crowded.

RUSSIAN COLONY

Big Tract of Land Has Been Purchased by U.S. for Russian Colony

Calgary.—Tilley, Alberta, will shortly be the site of a farming colony to be established by the Canadian government in the form of a timber colony.

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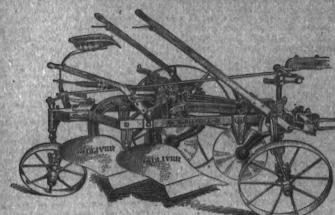
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AROUND TOWN

H. J. Wright of Bassano spent the week end in Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hagenbuch were in town for the week and from Calgary.

Mayo, H. R. Whiting went up to Calgary Friday, on a spring business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Murdoch is visiting friends in Medicine Hat for a few weeks.

R. H. Simpson purchased a few lots in Block 15, Extension from Gen. H. Travis for \$900 this week.

W. B. Cole opened his wholesale liquor store this week at Silica old stand.

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The Hunter Hotel has secured the annex over the building of L. W. Sheep in view of the approaching rush season.

The Alberta Hotel has just installed a decorative clock in the lounge through a W. H. Miller.

John Carnaby was called to Calgary last week in connection with the plan for the new Borkley hotel.

Geo. Stevens formerly of the Union bank was in town from Strathmore for this week end.

R. B. Whitten, Calgary architect who is employed on the Berkley Hotel and who is establishing headquarters in Bassano was in town this week.

E. H. McCaughey spent a few days in Calgary last week investigating a power plant on behalf of the Bassano Power and Tractor company.

Chief of Police Clyne was appointed Town Marshal to look after the men working on the streets, among other things, at 10c. extra, remuneration of \$10.00 per month.

Eddie Bishop accompanied by his wife and family have arrived in town from Nelson, B. C. to take up permanent residence here. Eddie, one of the most popular of Bassano's senior hockey teams says that there's no place to compare with the Rockies. He will remain with E. H. McCaughey.

R. C. Pfeifer went up to Winnipeg on a business trip this week accompanied by W. J. Robinson and R. Darby of Calgary took charge of the Bassano office in his absence.

An application of Com. Purcell to have a portion of the cemetery reserved for the Roman Catholic dead was favorably considered by the Council at a meeting Monday night.

Uniforms for both policemen will be presented by the town consequent upon a resolution introduced by Com. Plana which Council approved at its regular meeting Monday night.

Services for the church of St. John were performed by Right Rev. Wm. Stratton, who appeared before the Council at its meeting Monday night, and after some deliberation Council acquiesced Second avenue will be kept open.

The Bishop of Calgary has approved the appointment of the Rev. H. W. Sykes as first pastor of the Church of England, which is the St. John's, Calgary, Alta. At the Good Friday service to be held in the church, at 7:30 p. m. the Bishop will induct Mr. Sykes as Rector.

As fast as carpenters can work the Prince Hall will be transformed into a meeting house, to provide against the many social and other services. An addition of twenty-five feet is to be made to it and the room will be arranged surrounding a sort of hall in the centre of the building. A quick lunch counter will be arranged in the hall. Committee of the Calgary has the job in charge, and that finished work will be the result.

Floyd McCaughey made some profitable turnover's of property during the past week. Among these were the north west quarter of 37-15-19, bought at \$10. per acre and sold to Roy Smith for \$14 per acre, which cost \$20.00 per acre. At \$10 per acre with him he purchased the land lying south of the Crawfords Valley, ditch containing 440 acres from a Portland, Oregon, man for \$28 per acre.

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